DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Tom May on his retirement from coaching. LANDSKE _____, read first time and referred to Committee on



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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Tom May on his retirement from coaching.

Whereas, Tom May has been a dedicated educator and coach at Crown Point High School since 1981. He will retire from coaching the Lady Bulldogs at the end of the season with 442 wins and many wonderful memories to his credit;

Whereas, Tom May has been a great advocate of girls basketball since the 1980's. He insisted that the cheerleaders and the band perform at the Lady Bulldog home games, campaigned to have the girls play Friday nights, and lobbied for equal media coverage;

Whereas, Tom May's passion and dedication yielded results. His first five Lady Bulldog teams went 105-12 and won two state championships. His best team may have been the undefeated 1984 squad, but his best production was the 1997 team which went to the state title game in the final one-class tournament with no player averaging as many as 11 points per game;

Whereas, in addition to the Lady Bulldogs, Tom May has



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coached the Indiana all-stars in 1984 and 1992. He has been selected Northwest Indiana coach of the year a total of six times, and coached boys tennis at Crown Point High School for fifteen years; and

Whereas, the impact of Tom May on girls basketball extends throughout the sport. Tom May will be missed by the players, parents and fans of the Crown Point Lady Bulldogs, but he will never be forgotten: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate congratulates Tom May on
- 2 his retirement from coaching and wishes him well in all his future
- 3 endeavors.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Crown Point High School
- 6 Principal Ryan Pitcock, Coach Tom May and his family.



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